

SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION PUBLIC NOTICE

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing a Clean Water Act section 401 Water Quality Certification application for the project described below. We encourage public comments on the proposed project and will take comments into consideration when taking action on the application. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

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San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Attention: 401 Coordinator

OR

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Project Applicant: Santa Cruz Port District – Holland MacLaurie

Applicant's Agent: Horizon Water and Environment – Jeff Thomas

Project Name: Routine Maintenance of Santa Cruz Harbor

Receiving Water: Santa Cruz Harbor

City/County: Santa Cruz / Santa Cruz

Public Notice: April 28, 2021 – May 19, 2021

Project Description:

The purpose of the proposed project is to conduct routine maintenance activities in Santa Cruz Harbor for five years.

The proposed project activities include:

- Replacing existing piles and pile guides;
- Repairing existing piles and hardware;
- Replacing dock and brow pier decking, damaged cleats, bumper striping, broken gussets, and gusset covers along the deck perimeter;
- Repairing drainage outlets;
- Removing debris and organic and placing geotextiles and riprap to prevent erosion;
- Repairing overhead infrastructure;
- Replacing camel logs; and
- Installing marine fenders and other ancillary equipment.

No mitigation is proposed.

This project is exempt from CEQA.